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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSING EXTRANCHECK: CORTON TRADING CO., LTD.

REF: STATE 181602

1. IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY INQUIRY, MR. FUJITA OF CORTON TRADING CO., LTD. (CTC), ARAI BLDG., NO. 1, SANKO-CHO, SHINJUKU-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN, STATED 500,000 PCS OF RCA-MADE COS/MOS INTEGRATED CIRCUITS (IC'S) WILL BE DIRECTLY IMPORTED FROM RECTICO INC., N.J. FOR DELIVERY TO PACKEL SOKKI K.K. (PSK), NO. 2-19-11, HIGASHI MAGOME, OHTA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN.

2. PRESIDENT ARAP OF PSK, A MANUFACTURER OF MEASURING INSTRUMENTS, POWER SUPPLIES AND ELECTRONIC GAME MACHINES, CONFIRMED ABOVE PURCHASE SCHEDULE AND STATED 500,000 PCS OF IC'S UNDER INVESTIGATION WILL BE INCORPORATED INTO TV GAME MACHINES AT HIS PLANT. HE ADDED THAT ALTHOUGH COMPANY HAS NO FIRM PURCHASE ORDERS FOR GAME MACHINES INTO WHICH SUBJECT IC'S ARE INCORPORATED, THEY PLAN TO EXPORT SOME OF THE MACHINES TO THE U.S. AND WESTERN EUROPE AND THE BALANCE WILL BE SOLD TO DOMESTIC INDIVIDUAL HOMES OR COFFEE SHOPS, THROUGH DOMESTIC TRADING FIRMS.

3. EMBASSY FINDINGS REVEALED THAT CTC ESTABLISHED IN 1974 IS A SMALL TRADING FIRM RENTING A PART OF ANOTHER UNCLASSIFIED

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TRADING FIRM'S OFFICE AND HAS ONLY ONE FULL-TIME

EMPLOYEE, MR. FUJITA, UNDER PRESIDENT RICHARD F. ADLER,  
AN AMERICAN NATIONAL. PSK CAPITALIZED AT 5 MILLION YEN,  
HAS 15 EMPLOYEES, AND PRIMARILY ENGAGED IN MAKING POWER  
SUPPLIES. PSK ESTABLISHED IN 1971 AND IN 1975 STARTED  
MAKING TV GAME MACHINES. PSK'S MARKET FOR GAME MACHINES  
APPEARS NOT WELL DEVELOPED YET.

4. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS ISSUANCE OF EXPORT LICENSE  
TO RECTICO INC., BUT ALSO RECOMMENDS OEA/CD TO  
TAKE NORMAL PRECAUTIONS TOWARD FUTURE APPLICATIONS  
INVOLVING THESE PARTIES, IN VIEW OF THE IMPORTER'S SMALL  
SIZE AND THE USER'S POOR EXPERIENCE IN TV GAME MACHINES  
MARKET.

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